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ADMINISTRATIVE PROCEDURES NOTICE FILING

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| AGENCY NAME Board of Medical Licensure | | CONTACT PERSON Rhonda Freeman | TELEPHONE NUMBER (601) 987-0223 | |
| ADDRESS 1867 Crane Ridge Drive, Suite 200-B | | CITY Jackson | STATE MS | ZIP 39216 |
| EMAIL rhonda@msbml.ms.gov | SUBMIT DATE 03/25/2011 | Name or number of rule(s): 30.II.17.100 and 30.II.17.103 - The Practice of Acupuncture | | |

Short explanation of rule/amendment/repeal and reason(s) for proposing rule/amendment/repeal: _____

This is an amendment to a current rule which requires the written referral for the treatment of infertility to come from a physician who practices obstetrics and gynecology. The amendment also requires physicians who wish to practice acupuncture to submit documentation of CME hours and obtain approval from the Board prior to practicing acupuncture in the State.

Specific legal authority authorizing the promulgation of rule: 73-43-11

List all rules repealed, amended, or suspended by the proposed rule: 30.II.17

ORAL PROCEEDING:

☐ An oral proceeding is scheduled for this rule on Date: _____ Time: _____ Place: _____

☒ Presently, an oral proceeding is not scheduled on this rule.

If an oral proceeding is not scheduled, an oral proceeding must be held if a written request for an oral proceeding is submitted by a political subdivision, an agency or ten (10) or more persons. The written request should be submitted to the agency contact person at the above address within twenty (20) days after the filing of this notice of proposed rule adoption and should include the name, address, email address, and telephone number of the person(s) making the request; and, if you are an agent or attorney, the name, address, email address, and telephone number of the party or parties you represent. At any time within the twenty-five (25) day public comment period, written submissions including arguments, data, and views on the proposed rule/amendment/repeal may be submitted to the filing agency.


ECONOMIC IMPACT STATEMENT:

☒ Economic impact statement not required for this rule. ☐ Concise summary of economic impact statement attached.

| TEMPORARY RULES | PROPOSED ACTION ON RULES | FINAL ACTION ON RULES |
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| _____ Original filing _____ Renewal of effectiveness To be in effect in _____ days Effective date: _____ Immediately on _____ Other (specify): _____ | Action proposed: _____ New rule(s) _____ Amendment to existing rule(s) _____ Repeal of existing rule(s) _____ Adoption by reference Proposed date of adoption: _____ 30 days after filing _____ Other (specify): _____ | Action taken: _____ Adopted with no changes in text <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Adopted with changes _____ Adopted by reference _____ Withdrawn _____ Repeal adopted as proposed Effective date: <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 30 days after filing _____ Other (specify): _____ |

Printed name and Title of person authorized to file rules: Rhonda Freeman, Bureau Director

Signature of person authorized to file rules: *Rhonda Freeman*

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The entire text of the Proposed Rule including the text of any rule being amended or changed is attached.